ANOTHER STRANGE MURDER MYSTERY

Singular Fate of Mrs. Chapin and Charles Mead.

IT MAY NEVER BE EXPLAINED

The Wife of the Postmaster of Falls Village, Conn., and Her Lover Found Dead in the Chapin Home. One Had Killed the Other and Then Had Committed Suicide.

Fall River, Conn., Feb. 21.-Some time yesterday morning before this little village woke up a tragedy took place in the house of Postmaster W. H. Chapin. Mrs. Hattle Chapin, wife the postmaster, and Charles H. Mead, an unmarried man, were killed, by the same revolver. It was undoubtedly a case of murder and suicide, but which one did the shooting it not known. Circumstances go to show that it was the woman. Postmaster Chapin was out of town that night, and the only other persons in the house were a servant and 10-year-old Harry Chapin, the dead woman's son, who found the From their condition it is supposed that life had been extinct for more than an hour when they were

Mrs. Chapin was about 35 years old. and a rather handsome woman. Not far away stands the house occupied by the family of the Rev. H. P. Mead. now of Scotland, Conn., who used to have a church here. When he went to Scotland to preach he left his wife and family here because of the supe rior educational advantages of this place. The oldest son, Charles, got employment as a traveling salesman for the King Paper company, of Spring-field, and when not on the road, spent his time at home. He and Mrs. Chapin have known each other for many years. quaintance has been such as to arouse any comment, and that was only the gossip natural to a village of this size. He was 25 years old.

No talk of young Mead's attentions Mrs. Chapin had ever reached her husband. He is away from home much. In addition to being postmaster, has the management of the fish hatcheries of Henry A. Bishop at Shef-field, Mass., and during the past few months has spent half of his time there. Often he goes to Sheffield on the morning train and returns on the following morning. He left here for Sheffield yesterday morning, telling Mrs. Chapin that he would return today. Mead had been in town several days, and had been seen talking with Mrs. Chapin on the street, though not in such a manner as to cause any special remark until the double killing became known. Then several persons remembered hav-

ing seen them talking together. The boy sleeps upstairs. On the ceo has been spent on the expedition, ground floor are the parlor, the back and more besides. The general cost parlor, the dining room, a bedroom in which Mrs. Chapin sometimes slept, and the kitchen and back rooms, When Harry got up in the morning he called to his mother and got no answer. It was after 7 o'clock, an hour at which Mrs. Chapin usually arose. Going into the upstairs bedroom sometimes used by his mother, the boy saw that she was not there, so he ran downstairs and pounded on the door of the sleep-

A GHASTLY FIND.

Getting no answer, he opened the which was empty, had been slept in, and supposed that his mother was already up and about the house. Crossa man and a woman on the floor, dark management of it is highly praised. stains on the carnet near where the mother, then turned and ran out into the street, crying. The first person he met was Station Agent Adams, who was on his way to open the station and get the fire going. In a few words the boy told what he had seen.

"Run for the doctor as fast as you commanded Mr. Adams. "Tell him to come straight to the house. I'll be there."

Setting out at a hot pace, Mr. Adams quickly reached the house, and made his way to the dining room There on the floor he saw the two The face of the woman was turned toward him, and he instantly recognized Mrs. Chapin. That of the man was turned away. Mr. Adams bent over to look at it and almost fainted from the shock of surprise added to the horror of the scene. He was looking, not at Postmaster Chapin, whose face he had expected to see, but at that of Charles Mead. Before he had recovered himself, Dr. Francis S. Skiff had reached the house and was making an examination of the bodies. The bodies were warm, and the doctor thought that they had been dead an hour or two.

Meantime Harry Chapin, who had learned who the dead man was, was crying for his father. This recalled Mr. Chapin to the minds of those of his friends who had gathered at the house They asked the boy when he expected his father back,

"I heard him tell mamma he'd be back this morning," he answered. The train was then pulling in, and two of the men hurried down to the train to meet him. Explaining at first that his wife had met with a terrible accident, they came to the truth little by little during the walk to the house, and when Mr. Chapin reached his door he knew that his wife had been shot and killed, but the worst of it he did not know until he came to the room, which he insisted on entering at once.

POSITION OF THE BODIES.

Coroner Higgins found everything on the scene of the tragedy exactly as it was when the bodies were discovered. They lay a few feet apart and almost at right angles to each other. The man lay almost face down. He was entirely dressed except for his overcoat and hat, which lay on a chair near by. There was a hole in his right temple and another in the left side of his head, had struck on that side, and also that priation of money. the muzzle of the weapon was near his head when the shot was fired. Mrs. Chapin lay on her back, her head was bowed toward Mead, as if she had fallen forward and rolled over. The bullet that killed her had entered at the right temple also, and remained in the head. The edges of the wound were much blackened, and this is one of the indications that it was she shot the man and then herself. She was I that seventeen impresarios have offered in her nightgown, with a loose wrapper thrown over it. It is probable that

death came to both almost instan-Between them lay the revolver, a 38- ling to the United States

PROPOSED CHANGE calibre weapon. Two chambers were empty. There had been no waste of shore. Each bullet had gone straight to the mark and had done the work quickly. The fact of the revolver being IN PRISON CONTROL

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called at the office and asked for it. "My husband is going to be away to night," she said, "and I feel safer with some sort of a weapon in the house I've heard that there were burgiars

n the house is another strong proof

that the weman fired the shots, as it

is the weapon which is usualy kept in

the Post Office. Yesterday Mrs. Chapin

As Mrs. Chapin had spent many nights in the house without the proection of her husband and without any weapon the inference is that she wanted the revolver for some particular purpose, perhaps for the very use to which

it was put. After the examination Coroner Higgins and Medical Examiner Skiff united in the opinion that Mrs. Chapin had for some unknown cause shot Mead and then killed herself sometime between 3 and 6 a. m. There was no sign of a struggle in the room, so that the deed

must have been done quickly.

As to motive, it is generally believed in the village now that relations, hitherto unsuspected, existed between Mead and Mrs. Chapin; that he visited her last night; and that just as he was leaving in the morning she shot him. in pursuance of a resolve which she had previously made. Jealously may have been the cause. Vague rumors are going about today of Mead's attentions to a young woman in one of the other Connecticut towns.

RIFLES FOR PATRIOTS.

Gen. Roloff Takes 8,000 of Them to Cuba-Biggest Expedition That Has Been Sent to the Island.

New York, Feb. 21.-The Sun says that the sudden disappearance of Gen-eral Carlos Roloff, secretary of war of the Cuban republic, whose ball was forfeited at Baltimore, has given rise but it is only of late that their ac- to the report yesterday that another expedition had started to Cuba under

his command.

Although the greatest secrecy is maintained in the offices of the Junta about the affair, the fact that General Roloff is now off to Cuba was conives at its services.

The expedition is, in fact, the most explosives equal to all that had been sent to Cuba before.

All the money collected by the Cuban

delegation here after the death of Mawas estimated yesterday at about \$300,-

Among the Cubans here it is belived that the fate of the revolution depends in great part on General Roloff's success. If he is captured by the in executing process, Spaniards there is no doubt that the cause of Cuba will suffer considerably. him with the secretary of the commonwealth, which among other things. the patriots in the field will feel the is to include an account of the suits beneed of materials for use in a decisive gun at his instance and in detail give campaign during the ramy season, all the information at his command which is so unfavorable to the Span- concerning them. By and with the adlards. But if the expedition lands, it vice and consent of the board of game means 8,000 Cubans more under arms and fish commissioners in joint session, mez's plans.

The men who go with Roloff, and who are said to be 100, have been carefully ing the hall, he went to the dining selected among the Cubans in the Unitroom. He got half way into the room ed States. A great enthusiasm prebefore his intelligence took in the vails among the Cuban revolutionary meaning of what he saw, the bodies of clubs here about the expedition and the Senor Tomas Estrada Palma, the heads lay, and a revolver lying between the two forms. He cried out to his terday in reference to the report that the game and fish laws and who shall General Roloff, the Cuban minister of war, had already left for the island provided by the county commissioners said that he could not confirm or deny "General Reloff." he added, "took

that the mission which brought him to the United States was fulfilled and he must soon return to Cuba and take his place in the cabinet. This is all I know about the general."

LAST DAYS OF CONGRESS.

An Immense Amount of Business to be Disposed Of During the Coming Week.

Washington, Feb. 21.-Only nine more orking days remain in the Fiftyourth congress and the condition of the appropriation bills will compel the enate to make up for the time lost in a futile effort to ratify the arbitration treaty, which now appears to have been shelved. The pending Sunday cause some debate. The president has so far approved the legislative, the consular and diplomatic, the military academy and the pension bills. The army bill is in conference and the agricultural bill was agreed to in conference yesterday. The Indian bill is now in the senate and will probably not be passed before tomorrow night. The District of Columbia bill is on the calendar and will be called up as soon as the Indian bill is out of the way. This bill may lead to protracted de bate owing to a fight between contending electric light companies.

The appropriation committee of the senate is still considering the postofnce, the sundry civil and the fortification bill, all of which will be reported in two or three days. Of the remaining appropriation measures, the naval and the general deficiency bill are still in

the house. The house also will occupy the re mainder of the time in a clearing up of necessary business. Three hours debate on the Pacific railroads paragraph of the general deficiency appropriation bill will take place on Monday in committee of the whole and then probably another day will be spent in going over the measure in open house. The passanother in the left side of his head, age of bills under suspension of the showing where the bullet had entered rules comes in order during the closing and gone through the head. Some days of the session, but the house lead-specks of powder about the wound on ers seem determined to shut down upthe right temple showed that the bullet on all measures asking further appro-

IMPRESARIOS AFTER HIM.

Gypsy Rigo Says He and the Princess Will Come to the United States.

London, Feb. 21.-James Rigo, th Hungarian gypsy musician with whom the Princess de Chimay eloped, has written to a friend in Antwerp saying him engagements. He has declined all

He added that he did not lack funds and that he and the Princess were go-

tions or complaint of any citizen of the

NEW REVENUE PLAN. Bonus on Charters to be Paid Before

Charters Are Issued. Special to the Scranton Tribune Harrisburg, Feb. 21.-A new scheme or increasing the state revenues has been devised by Representative W. C. Smith, of Bedford, in the shape of a bill requiring all bonuses on charters to be paid before the charter is issued. The present law requires only one-half to be paid in advance and the other half in a year. The Smith bill also increases the bonus on charters from one quarter of one per cent, to one-third of one per cent.

of one per cent.

Under the present law deferring the payment of one-half the bonus for a year, a great deal of this second payment is lost to the state, and suit has often to be instituted to recover what. often to be instituted to recover what ont. & Western is collected. In one case the state Phil. & Reading ost \$25,000 by the non-payment of this deferred bonus. Secretary Reeder and Corporation Clerk Earnsworth, of the state department, favor the proposed change in the law.

It is estimated that in the next two ears the state will gain a half milion dollars if the bill is passed, besides relieving the state department of a great deal of unnecessary labor and annoyance.

NEW GAME BILL.

Proposition to Centralize the Enforcement of Game and Fish Laws in One Official's Hands.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Harrisburg, Feb. 21.—Representative Baldwin, of Delaware, has taken charge of a bill prepared jointly by firmed yesterday by some prominent the state game and fish commission and Cubans. How he slipped away is a creating the office of a game and fish matter which the Spanish consulate is warden. The bill authorizes the aptrying to discover through the detec- pointment by the governor of a game and fish warden, who shall serve for four years. His salary is to be \$1,800 a important that has ever gone to Cuba, and if it lands safely there it will be a ling the performance of his duties are tremendous blow to the cause of Spain. to be paid on the warrant of the au-It carries 8,000 rifles, three cannons, two ditor general. He is to hold no other repeating guns of an improved make, position, nor be engaged in any other firing one hundred shots a minute, business or vocation during the occu-with the advantage that the firing can be stopped at will, and a quantity of tary of the boards of game and fish commissioners.

The warden shall seize all nets of ilegal mesh found in use in the wat of the state and enforce all game and fish laws. Under the terms of the act the warden may make complaint and cause proceedings to be commenced against any person for violating these laws. He is given the same power to serve criminal process as sheriffs have Lacka. Township School 5%.....

A monthly report is to be filed by nd a formidable help for General Go- he is to appoint deputy game and fish wardens who are to be subject to his supervision and control.

OTHER POWERS.

He is also to have the power to appoint in each county not to exceed three residents thereof as county game and fish wardens, who may be employed by individuals, clubs and corporthe game and fish laws and who shall receive such compensation as may be Any person interfering with the game and fish warden in the performance of his duties shall be fined not less leave of me about a week ago, saying than \$10, nor more than \$50 and in default of payment shall be confined m the county jail until the costs are paid, the confinement not to exceed

The bill will be in shape to introduce Monday.

DANA'S BLUFF WON.

There Will Be No Alliance of the United and Associated Presses.

New York, Feb. 21.-The commitee of the United Associated Presses appointed to confer with a similar committee of the Associated Press of Illi-nois yesterday gave notice to the latter that it had been instructed to termi-that it had been instructed to termithat it had been instructed to terminate negotiations. Notwithstanding the fact that the committees of the two organizations met in the most conciliatory and amiable spirit they were unable to agree upon a union. It was impossible for the representatives of the United Press to secure a union which would fully protect either their allied organizations or their members and clients as individuals. This was the chief reason why negotiations came to an end.

The Sun resumes its former relations to the United Press, and renews its alegiance and hearty support of the organization. The Herald, Times and Journal also continue their support as heretofore as well as the nembers generally of the United Press proper and its allied organizations.

MARKETS AND STOCKS.

Wall Street Review.

New York, Feb. 20,-The dealings in stocks at today's short session footed up only 31,845 shares, and the fluctuations in prices were on a par with the trans-actions. The market throughout was narrow and professional. At the opening there was a disposition on the part of the bears to even up contracts over the dou-ble holiday and advances of %a% per cent. followed. Speculation close quiet and barely steady in tone, net changes showing a gain of 4,835 per cent., the lat-ter in Western Union.

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Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations -- All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

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New York Produce Market.

New York, Feb. 10.-Flour-Dull, weak, unchanged. Wheat—Dull, firmer; f. o. b., 2015c; ungraded red, 72a91c.; No. 1 northern, 875c.; options were dull and firm; February, 84c.; March, 845c.; April, 875c.; May, 825c.; June, 815c.; July, 805c.; Sep., 5 icc., 775c.; Corn—Dull, firm; No. 2, 2015c.; Jeanney, 2015c.; adaption options were 294c., elevator; 304c., afloat; options were dull and firm; February, 294c.; May, 304c.; July, 314c. Cats—Spots dull, firm; 20kgc.; July, 31kgc. Cats—Spots dull, firm; optons dull, nominally kgc up; February, 21kgc.; May, 21kgc.; July, 22kgc.; spot prices, No. 2, 21kgc.; No. 2, White, 23kgc.; No. 2, Chicago, 22kgc.; No. 3, 20c.; No. 3 white, 22c.; mixed western, 20a23c.; white do., 20a 20c.; white state, 20a30c. Provisions—Quiet, unchanged, Lard—Quiet, unsettled, unchanged, Eutter—Quiet, unchanged, Cheese—Firm, unchanged, Eggs, Stondy, state, and Pennsylvania, 19kg. -Steady: state and Pennsylvania, 1942a 6c.; ice house, case, \$2.46a3.50; western, 19c.; southern, 1742a18c.; limed, 13a132c.

Chicago Grain and Provision Market. Chicago, Feb. 29.—The leading futures anged as follows: Wheat—February, 514c.; May, 763cc., 7614c.; July, 73c., 734c.; September, 71%c., 71%c. Corn—Fe ruary, 22%c., 22%c.; May, 24%c., 24%c July, 254c., 25%c.; September, 25%c., 26% July, 284c. 285c.; September 285c.; May, 175c.; Oats—February, 185c.; 185c.; May, 175c.; 175c.; July, 184c., 185c.; Mess pork—May, 88, 87,675; July, 88,10, 88,10, Lard—May, 84,024; July, 24,10, 84,125; Short ribs—May, 84,10, 84,074; July, 84,175c. No. 3 spring wheat, 744c., by sample; No No. 3 spring wheat, 74½c., by sample; No. 2 red. 854a874c;; No. 2 corn. 22½a32c.; No. 2 oats, 15½a16c.; No. 2 rye, 335a34c.; No. 2 barley, 83c., nominal; No. 1 flaxseed, 74a 71½c.; prime timothy seed, 2.50 nominal; mess pork. \$7.85a7.90; lard. \$3.925a3.95;

sugars, cut loaf, \$5.26; granulated, \$4.61; standard A, \$4.59.

Buffulo Live Stock. Buffalo Live Stock.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 25,—Cattle—Firm; good Canada butchers' steers and heifers, \$285a3.97%; do. stockers, \$3.35a3.50; do. feeders, \$3.70a3.85; veals in light supply and stead, \$ia5.75. Hogs—Stronger; Yorkers, \$3.90a3.95; good mixed packers, \$3.55a3.90; heavy, \$3.70a3.80; pigs, \$3.80a3.80; roughs, \$3.10a3.25. Sheep and lambs—Stronger for lambs; firm for sheep; prime lambs, \$5.35a5.40; good to choice, \$5a5.30; lambs, \$5.35a5.40; good to choice, \$5a5.30; common to fair, \$4.65a4.90; mixed sheep, good to choice, \$4a4.15; common to fair, \$3.50a3.90; heavy export ewes, \$3.90a4.25,

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; market steady; common to extra steers, \$3,50a5,35; stockers and feeders, 33a 4.25; cows and bulls, \$1,80a3.75; calves,

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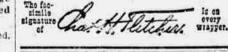
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MEDICAL. WANTTD-5.000 PEOPLE, WHO ARE suffering from blood and nervous diseases to call and be cured free of charge at the office of the Burdock Medicine Co., 318

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of The Lackawanna Iron and Steel Company, for the election of directors and transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Scranton. Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, March 3d, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m. The polls will remain open for one hour. The transfer books will be closed on February 21, 1897, and reopened on March 4 1897.

(Signed) J. P. HIGGINSON, Secretary. Scranton, Pa., Feb. 20th 1897.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE training Company, for the election of Directors and transaction of such other business as may and transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company in the city of Scranton. Pennsylvania, on Wednesday March 10th, 1897, at 16 o'clock a. m. L. F. BOWER, Secretary.

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